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 NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
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1. RE-EXAMINATION OF GUARD COMPANY PROJECTS IN LIGHT OF
 DIR 20195 (OUT 68841) SHOWS THAT THEY DO NOT MEET CRITERIA SPELLED
 OUT IN PARA 3 C OF THAT CABLE. ACCORDINGLY PROPOSE TERMINATE
 KUBARK CONNECTION WITH THE ALBANIAN, BULGARIAN, AND CZECH GUARD
 COMPANIES. STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TO WITHDRAW KUBARK PERSONNEL PRE-
 SENTLY ATTACHED TO THESE COMPANIES.

2. ACCORDING TO INFO RECEIVED BY LABOR SERVICES DIVISION,
 USAREUR, FED REP AUTHORITIES ARE AWARE THAT RECRUITMENT FOR ABOVE
 THREE LABOR COMPANIES WAS CONDUCTED IN AN IRREGULAR MANNER AND THAT
 GERMANS EXPECT ALL LABOR SERVICE PERSONNEL IN THESE COMPANIES TO
 REGISTER WITH GERMAN POLICE UPON RATIFICATION OF CONTRACTUALS.

3. UNDER GERMAN LAW, ALL RESIDENTS OF GERMANY HAVE TO BE
 REGISTERED WITH POLICE WITH EXCEPTION MEMBERS OF OCCUPYING FORCES.
 MAJORITY OF BULGARIANS AND ALBANIANS NOT REGISTERED WITH POLICE
 BECAUSE THEY WERE BROUGHT INTO GERMANY BLACK AS RECRUITS OR DISPOSAL.

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CASES. IN THE CZECH COMPANY THERE ARE ONLY NINE DISPOSAL AND TWO BLACK CASES.

4. COL BUSBEE, CHIEF LABOR SERVICES DIVISION, USAREUR, HAS INDICATED ARMY RELUCTANCE OVER WITHDRAWAL OUR INTEREST BECAUSE CONDITIONS DESCRIBED. HE IS LIKELY TO CONTINUE CZECH COMPANY BUT MAY DISBAND OTHERS. I PROPOSE TO INFORM ARMY AUTHORITIES THAT FOR SPECIAL REASONS WE WOULD BE GLAD TO SEE ALBANIAN COMPANY CONTINUE WITH NO KUBARK AUSPICES IF USAREUR FINDS COMPANY USEFUL. IF NOT, WE WILL INTERPOSE NO OBJECTIONS TO DISBANDING. WILL RECOMMEND DISBANDING BULGARIAN.

5. ALBANIANS AND BULGARIANS CAN PROBABLY BE SETTLED IN GERMANY, DESPITE BLACK ENTRY, THROUGH ARRANGEMENT WITH BONN AUTHORITIES. HOWEVER, NO GUARANTY BULGARIANS AND ALBANIANS WILL NOT DISCUSS THEIR EXPERIENCES, BLACK AIR TRANSPORT, WANGNESS AND GRAFENWOHR TRAINING, AND FIVE ACTUAL OPERATIONS. ONLY ALTERNATIVE TO SETTLEMENT IN GERMANY IS DISPOSAL OUTSIDE. INVOLVED ARE 198 ALBANIANS AND 141 BULGARIANS.

6. UPON RECEIPT YOUR ADVICE RE ABOVE, I WILL NOTIFY USAREUR KUBARK NO LONGER IN GUARD COMPANY BUSINESS.

END OF MESSAGE

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